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## Take a Look at Our Line of Ladies' Coats and Suits

They are strictly up-to-date and moderately priced.

Misses' and Children's Coats and Capes from \$3.00 up to \$15.00

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You can do it yourself and at little expense. It's easy to give it a beautiful, hard, brilliant, varnish-gloss finish in black or rich, appropriate colors.

**ACME QUALITY**

CARRIAGE PAINT (New)

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## NEWS OF POLK COUNTY

ITEMS CONTRIBUTED BY RUSTLING LOCAL CORRESPONDENTS.

Happenings of Interest in Various Neighborhoods Told in Interesting Manner.

### MONMOUTH

C. E. Herren made a visit to the Capitol City, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, of Yachats, were in town this week.

The evaporator is running day and night, not even stopping on Sundays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, of Luckiamute Valley, were in town Tuesday.

W. M. Ladd, of Portland, was a business visitor in Monmouth, Saturday.

Walter Griffin and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huber, Sunday.

Henry Burt, of Yoncalla, attended the funeral of his brother, the late P. H. Burt.

The Monmouth district and high school opened Monday with a good attendance.

E. Bogart traded his property in Monmouth to John Fuller and has moved to Salem.

Ellas Robertson, of Falls City, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Robertson, last week.

Mrs. Ella Best, son and daughter, of Portland, attended the funeral of the late P. H. Burt.

Doctor and Mrs. Thomas E. Zolner, of Tacoma, are visiting friends and relatives in Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Chase are enjoying themselves on the shores of the old Pacific at Newport.

The rain started the plows going and the grass growing, and everything is moving along nicely.

W. H. Fulkerson, of Powell Butte, Oregon, was in town the first of the week, shaking hands with old-time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley visited in Falls City over Sunday. They returned home Monday.

Mr. Elder and family left Tuesday for Seilo, where they will make their home. Mr. Elder was formerly a butcher here.

Edgar Sacre has turned granger. He is plowing and assisting his father in putting in grain, which looks well for a young man.

From the way drummers are coming into town, times must be prosperous and our merchants doing a good business.

G. A. Peterson and family and Mrs. Peterson's father, Mr. Steele, are moving to their farm near Airline. They will be missed by their many friends in Monmouth.

A. N. Poole is building a house for Mr. Bowers on the south part of the Wolverson place, two and one-half miles East of Airline. He will camp there while he is at work.

The primary election passed off quietly, yet one could see there was some excitement, and in the old-time convention days there would have been something doing. Now, let's drop all personal differences about candidates and be a united Republican party, which has gone through so many hard-fought political battles, and stand for our principles, and not be led away by the misrepresentations of any one.

### AIRLINE

More rain is expected soon.

Airline is to have a new livey barn. Hugh Williams is on the sick list. Hog-picking is over and no one regrets it.

Will Collins, of Dallas, was in town Tuesday.

H. S. Portwood is suffering from tonsillitis.

Many from here attended Marion Smith's sale.

Vere Staats is the proud possessor of a new wheel.

Percy Hadley and Emmett Staats are having their straw.

Bud Alcorn made a business trip to Kings Valley last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Conn made a business trip to Dallas, Monday.

J. M. Staats and a force of men put up 25 telephone poles last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riche Bevens, of Portland, are visiting relatives here.

Carl Story has gone to Corvallis to attend the Oregon Agricultural College.

Dell Harrington and Charlie Ray made a business trip to Dallas last Saturday.

Floyd Williams, of Independence, is visiting his father, W. E. Williams, at this place.

Cricket Bevens has four men blasting and drilling the well deeper on his place on the hill.

Miss Elda Portwood has gone to Corvallis, where she is engaged in the millinery trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrington and daughter, Bertha, made a business trip to Albany, Wednesday.

A photographer from Albany was in Airline last Monday and took snap shots at many of the buildings.

Rob Arnold has stored his hops here. He says he lost about half of his crop by not being able to secure pickers.

### BUELL

A. W. Fletcher is preparing to paint his house.

Lynn Drayle is moving his family to Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones returned home last Friday.

J. E. Yeakum and sister, Mrs. Bratcher, were visitors in Portland, Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Durant, of Amity, was a visitor in Perrydale, Saturday and Sunday.

H. J. Elliott made a business trip to Portland, Monday, and returned Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snelling, of Salt Creek, have moved into Fred Hobbs's house here.

Mr. Eaton, the photographer, moved with his family to Dallas, where they will reside this winter.

Quite a number of Perrydale people attended the School Fair held in McMinnville last week.

Misses Kate Jennings and Hazel Dugman were visitors in Amity, Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

Ewen Jennings and family have moved to the Rempel property, formerly owned by William Carson.

Miss End Hays and Miss Lillian Gottschalk, who have been visiting at the home of John Dugman, left Friday for Salem, where they will spend a few days. Later they will return to Oakland, California.

### LUCKIAMUTE

Fine weather and everyone busy with their Fall work.

Mr. Green made a trip to Crawfordsville the first of the week.

C. W. Stewart is hauling his wood to Simpson station for shipment.

Our school opened Monday with Miss Matiel Moore as teacher and with 19 pupils on the roll.

E. J. Steele is preparing to build a new house on the land he recently purchased from C. W. Stewart.

Mrs. Jessie Hamilton and sons, of Salem, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Martha Stump.

A. G. Winterstein intends to leave in a short time for California, where he will take charge of his father's alfalfa farm.

Mrs. J. Lampitt and daughter are moving to Sheridan. Mr. Fleischmann is moving to the place he bought from Mr. Lampitt.

Mrs. Crow has returned to her home in Twin Falls, Idaho, after spending the Summer with her daughter, Mrs. Moore.

### FALLS CITY

H. F. Pye returned to his claim in the Siletz, Monday.

Roy Finseth, of Dallas, was in Falls City Friday and Saturday.

L. A. Hooker, of Airline, visited relatives in Falls City, Sunday.

Dr. F. M. Heltworth made a short business trip to Salem, Friday.

Parl Collins has succeeded Mrs. Ben Searcy as assistant postmaster.

W. L. Toose returned from a short trip to Woodburn and Salem, Friday.

J. O. Smith, of Monmouth, transacted business in Falls City, Tuesday.

Mayor H. C. Eakin, of Dallas, was a business visitor in Falls City, Friday.

M. D. Ellis was shaking hands with old time friends in Falls City, Tuesday.

A. F. Courter reports the sale of the Vick farm to S. W. Allison, of Hood River.

Mrs. J. B. Barnes, of Roseburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Toose.

B. F. Bougey, our former townsman, came over from Salem to vote Saturday.

L. S. Prink, of Amity, is moving into the house recently purchased from C. D. Tice.

Willis Reynolds, of Shaw, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. F. Nichols.

N. O. Harris came in from his claim on the Siletz for supplies the last of the week.

H. C. Brown is erecting a neat cottage on the lots recently purchased from Mrs. Montgomery.

J. D. Cameron has the material on the ground for a new cottage on his property in South Falls City.

Dr. F. M. Heltworth expects to have his new bungalow ready for occupancy by the first of October.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Glass, of Brownsville, are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hooker.

W. C. Cornelison, of Bethany, Missouri, arrived in Falls City last week and will make it his future home.

W. L. Wells, of Halsey, passed through Falls City the first of the week on his way to the Siletz. He was accompanied by his son, Roy.

Henry Pfandhoefer left for Corvallis, Sunday, where he will resume his course in engineering. Mr. Pfandhoefer will complete the course this year.

G. Sowers is putting in a cement walk around his store in South Falls City. Mr. Sowers has the distinction of building the first cement walk in Falls City.

**MCCOY AND BETHEL**  
John Smuck was a visitor in Amity last Friday.

Marshall Davis, of Albany, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

James Ruttrick is again busy, hauling stone and hauling lumber.

Monday to Portland to resume her position in a millinery store. She was accompanied by her mother.

Mrs. H. J. Elliott is visiting at her home near Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland visited at the Capitol City, Friday and Saturday.

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**PARKER**  
Fred Wells visited in Buena Vista, Sunday.

Fred Frederickson bought a horse last week.

George Dickinson bought a fine mare Friday.

F. O. Frederickson was in Buena Vista last Thursday.

William Murphy commenced drying prunes Saturday.

Mrs. R. J. Simon was an Independence visitor, Wednesday.

Several of the farmers commenced work in the fields Monday.

Katie Shorner returned home Saturday, after a two weeks' visit in Salem.

Fred Wells and Ralph Davidson were in Independence, Saturday evening.

Parker was well represented at the lift sale, west of Independence, Friday.

Mrs. Frederickson and her mother visited relatives in Independence, Wednesday.

Several of the Parker young people attended the Buffalo Bill show in Salem, Wednesday.

A household of young folks gathered at Peter Peterson's, Sunday, and all had a good time.

If the good weather continues, there will be considerable diking done in the next few days.

We hear that Lester Murphy will run the two Helms hop yards in addition to the Tedlow yard.

The new cleaner that was put off here last week was billed to the McClain brothers, of Buena Vista.

P. T. Peterson and Art Lacey returned the last of the week from their hunting trip. They report a scarcity of game in Coos County.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Peterson and children, and Esther and Hamar Frederickson were guests at Fred Frederickson's, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wells left last week for Salem, where both are employed as teachers in the North Salem school. Mr. Wells is to be the principal.

Mrs. Lampitt and sons held a sale Wednesday, and, with her daughter, will move to Sheridan to reside. The boys talk of going to California, where Tom is offered a position with the San Francisco Examiner as a cartoonist. He has decided talent, and we look forward to a brilliant career for him.

### SALT CREEK

The Concord school will open Monday.

Mr. Rosenau has rented the Scott place.

Howard Cook is working for J. H. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Snelling are moving to Roseburg.

Fritz Rosenau is visiting his parents at Clackamas.

W. Martin has rented part of the G. D. Braun place.

Mr. Hill, the man who bought the Snelling place, is moving in.

Mr. Walker, of McCoy, was a visitor in this neighborhood Sunday.

David Nachigal has bought a fine span of thoroughbred Belgian mares.

### MOUNTAIN VIEW

Mr. Plumer and family have moved to Salem for the winter.

Miss Rose Bodnyia is attending school in Salem this winter.

Little Elita Cannoy started to school this Fall for the first time.

Grandma Chapman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Southwick.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Winslow are the happy parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. L. L. Cannoy and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grice.

Miss Myrtle Wilson, of Popcorn, is staying with Mrs. M. K. St. Pierre this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Adams are moving out on their farm on account of Mr. Adams' health.

Mrs. M. C. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. O. E. Fry, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. R. Southwick.

The Mountain View school opened Monday with Miss Lynch as principal and Miss Hanley as primary teacher.

### EOALA

Clifford Clark has resumed his photography work in Salem.

Yankum & Williams finished hop picking Saturday forenoon.

Alfred Brown, the road supervisor, is having the Brunk hill graded.

J. Allen, of Oak Grove, sawed wood for Mr. Cromley last Saturday and Monday.

Thomas W. and George Brunk and H. B. Brophy were business visitors in Dallas, Tuesday.

J. F. Schaffer and E. T. Hamer attended a public sale near the State Fair grounds last Saturday.

Ethel Brunk, Maymie Schaffer, Iry-an Ferguson, Earl and Ernest Brunk started to the High School in Salem last Monday.

Contrary to predictions, it has been demonstrated that alfalfa as well as clover can be successfully raised in Lincoln county.

## ALL FACTIONS UNITED

MCGINN AND LAFFERTY WILL TAKE STUMP FOR BOWERMAN.

Dimick, Hofer and Others Declare Time Has Come to End Differences in Party.

With Henry E. McGinn and A. W. Lafferty, insurgent leaders, preparing to take the stump for Jay Bowerman and with other anti-assembly leaders daily announcing their allegiance to the whole Republican ticket, party loyalty is becoming the predominant spirit throughout the state. A reunited Republican party working for the common interest of the people at the primary election is already an assured fact, say leading party men.

The stand taken by Messrs. McGinn and Lafferty, announced yesterday, is regarded as of deep significance. Mr. McGinn, nominated for Circuit Judge in Department No. 3, said, after a prolonged conference with Mr. Bowerman, head of the ticket, that he was convinced of the Condon man's integrity and progressive principles.

"I shall give my heartiest support to Mr. Bowerman and the Republican ticket generally," said he.

**Bowerman People's Choice.**  
Mr. Lafferty, nominee for Congress in this district, said: "Mr. Bowerman is the people's choice. In accordance with the direct primary law, those who went before the people are in duty bound to support the nominees of the people."

A. M. Crawford, insurgent nominee for Attorney-General, and James T. Chinnock, anti-assembly nominee for Division Water Superintendent, also announced unqualifiedly their support of Mr. Bowerman, whom they met last night at the Imperial Hotel. All candidates for state office are to be called together within the next few days to discuss campaign issues.

As indicating the attitude of Republican leaders, statements made yesterday by Judge Grant B. Dimick, defeated anti-assembly candidate for Governor, are taken as representative.

"I think the campaign should be conducted in such a way as to end all factional differences," said Judge Dimick, "so that we will not have another four years of Democratic control in our state government. We should use all honorable means to eliminate from Oregon all those disruptive forces which now say they will support the Democratic nominee."

**Dimick Offers Services.**  
Judge Dimick also made this declaration in a communication to Mr. Bowerman on the subject yesterday: "I wish to assure you that I will assist you in every way possible to obtain a favorable result in the November election. I am subject to your disposal at any time and at any place where you may think that I can be of service to you and the entire ticket in the campaign which will take place prior to the election."

A communication was also received during the day from Thomas Kay, nominee for State Treasurer, in which Mr. Kay pledged his support to the head of the ticket. Colonel E. Hofer and Albert Abraham pledged their support to the whole ticket immediately after the result of the election became known, as did Stephen A. Lowell, of Pendleton.

Progressive Republicanism and a reunited party will be the keynote of the campaign to follow, so it is understood. No bias is to be left for Democratic disruptionists to say that the direct primary law is menaced by any members of the ticket, it is said.

**Selling Not Willing to Run.**  
Persistent rumors of a possible independent candidate were allayed yesterday and the name of Ben Selling was frequently heard. Mr. Selling declined to discuss the matter at length except to say that, while he had been approached, he has no present intention of running. Many Republicans are insisting that there will be no well-defined demand for an independent candidate and that the party will hold together and effectively rout the Democratic ticket at the polls in November.—Oregonian.

**EARLY PIONEERS OF POLK**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newbill Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

Tuesday's Oregonian contains excellent pictures of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newbill, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Ballston, September 26. The Oregonian says:

"Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newbill, well-known pioneers, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at their home in Ballston, Polk County, September 26. Mr. Newbill is 76 years of age and came to Oregon across the plains in 1852. Mrs. Newbill is 66 years of age and is a pioneer of 1846. Both settled with their parents on donation land claims in Polk County, where they were married in 1860.

"Eleven children were born to them, of whom seven are living and were present at the celebration. The surviving children are as follows: Professor T. J. Newbill, principal of Woodlawn School, in Portland; Mrs. T. J. Graves, of McCoy; Mrs. Jennie Morrison, of Portland; Mrs. G. W. James, of Newberg; George Newbill and Elmer Newbill, of Ballston; and Mrs. Rae Craven, of Dallas. At the gathering there was a happy reunion of relatives and many old-time friends.

"Mr. Newbill came to Oregon with a train which was attacked several times by Indians. He served with the volunteers who fought Indians in early days."

The registration at the Brownsville high school has been so large during the first week that it will be necessary for the board of education to hire an additional instructor.

Many children are called dull and backward in their school work, who are suffering with eye strain. Parents, have Dr. Lowe thoroughly examine your children's eyes. If they need glasses, it is the best possible investment you can make for them.

## STATE SENDS MORE BOOKS

Dallas Free Library Receives Traveling Library No. 46.

Traveling Library No. 46, sent out by the Oregon Library Commission, has arrived in Dallas and is in place in the shelves provided for the state books in the Dallas Free Library. The new volumes are as follows:

**Imported Americans.**  
Holt, ed. The life stories of undistinguished Americans.  
Riss. The making of an American. Steiner. On the trail of the immigrant.

**The Filipino at School.**  
Freer. The Philippine experiences of an American teacher.  
Hopper. Caybanan.

**About People, Places, and Events.**  
Coburn. Our little Swedish cousin. Famous adventures and prison escapes of the Civil War.

**Golding.** The story of David Livingstone.  
Mott & Dutton. Fishing and hunting. Nicolay. The boys' life of Abraham Lincoln.

**Wade.** Old colony days.  
Waller. Through the gates of the Netherlands.  
Williams. Romance of early exploration.

**For Recreation and Instruction.**  
Beard. New ideas for out of doors: the field and forest handy book. Breare. Education, its first principles. Browne, ed. Golden poems.  
Hess. Inventors at work.  
Ingersoll. The wit of the world.  
McClure's magazine. v. 17. May-October, 1906.

**Through the Gates of Romance.**  
Bindosa. Alton of Romance.  
Brush. The colonel's opera cloak. Churchill. Coniston.

**Cutting.** More stories of married life. Dunne. Dissertations by Mr. Dooley. Garland. Witch's gold.  
Jewett. The Tory lover.  
Marryat. The phantom ship.  
Paine. The praying skipper and other stories.

**Parker.** When Valmond came to Pontiac.  
Sago. The district attorney.  
Scott. Redgauntlet.  
Smith. Montville.  
Thackeray. Henry Esmond.  
Wallace. Ben Hur.  
Whitney. Red folks.  
Yonge. The caged lion.